

HOUSE RESOLUTION 102

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Matthew Ryan Pruitt,
2009 Co-Valedictorian of Zion Christian
Academy.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Matthew Ryan Pruitt is one such exceptional student who was recently named Co-Valedictorian of the 2009 graduating class at Zion Christian Academy; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Matthew has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, he has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average and has demonstrated outstanding leadership through his involvement in a variety of extracurricular activities; and

WHEREAS, a leader among his peers, Matthew Pruitt is a member of the National Honor Society, the Science National Honor Society, the Student Council, the Interact Club, the football team, and the baseball team; he also gives of his time and many talents as a Food for Families volunteer and is an active member of the Liberty Baptist Church youth group; and

WHEREAS, Matthew's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success; and

WHEREAS, his noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his parents, Gary and Tammy Pruitt, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Matthew's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2009 Zion Christian Academy Co-Valedictorian, Matthew Ryan Pruitt, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.